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**PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: ACUPUNCTURE ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF THE
DELAWARE BOARD OF MEDICAL PRACTICE**

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Thursday, May 20, 2010 at 3:00 p.m.

PLACE: 861 Silver Lake Boulevard
Conference Room A, Second Floor, Cannon Building
Dover, Delaware

MINUTES APPROVED (June 17, 2010)

MEMBERS PRESENT

Lorna Lee, Committee Member, Chair, Presiding
Vincent Lobo, D.O., Physician Committee Member
Alan Keith Tillotson, Committee Member
James J. Frisa, Committee Member
Jennifer Baust, R.N., Committee Member

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT

James Collins, Director
Gayle MacAfee, Executive Director
Sandra Wagner, Administrative Specialist II
Patricia Davis Oliva, Deputy Attorney General

MEMBER ABSENT

Jeffrey S. Meyers, M.D., Ex-Officio Committee Member

ALSO PRESENT

Tita Gontang
Cheyenne Luzader
Irene Rust
Lan Wei

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Lee called the meeting to order at 3:07 p.m.

REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Council reviewed the April 15, 2010 minutes for approval. Mr. Tillotson moved, seconded by Mr. Frisa, to approve the minutes as presented. Motion unanimously carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Review Application(s) for Licensure as an Acupuncture Practitioner

The Council reviewed the application from Brian Allen. Dr. Lobo moved, seconded by Mr. Tillotson, to table Brian Allen's application. Motion unanimously carried. Mr. Allen will need to submit a transcript showing the educational background as requested by the Council. He will also need to complete question 10 on the application.

The Council reviewed the application from Thomas Beach. Ms. Baust moved, seconded by Ms. Lee, to table Thomas Beach's application. Motion unanimously carried. Mr. Beach will need to provide further evidence as a current practitioner.

The Council reviewed the application from Douglas Briggs. Mr. Tillotson moved, seconded by Mr. Frisa, to table Douglas Briggs' application. Motion unanimously carried. Mr. Briggs will need to provide further evidence of his acupuncture education.

The Council reviewed the application from Lan Wei. Mr. Tillotson moved, seconded by Ms. Lee, to waive the disqualification for licensure for Lan Wei. Motion unanimously carried. Ms. Lee moved, seconded by Mr. Tillotson to grant an acupuncture practitioner license to Lan Wei. Motion unanimously carried.

The Council reviewed the application from Carol-Sue Adams. Ms. Lee moved, seconded by Ms. Baust to propose to deny Carol-Sue Adams' application. Motion unanimously carried. Ms. Adams did not provide the required Diplomat in Oriental Medicine and Chinese Herbology.

It was suggested that an amendment to the rules and regulations be discussed at the next meeting to require a transcript.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Update on Acupuncture Detoxification Specialists

The Council discussed the draft legislation dated April 15, 2010 for Acupuncture Detoxification Specialists. Changes were noted to the draft with input from the participants attending the meeting. Mr. Tillotson moved, seconded by Ms. Lee, to provide Mr. Collins with the edits to the draft, so that the Division can introduce this proposed legislation. Motion unanimously carried.

In addition, the council discussed the definition of acupuncture for clarification purposes. Mr. Tillotson moved, seconded by Ms. Baust, to include this clarification of the definition of acupuncture in the draft legislation. Motion unanimously carried.

Discuss Ashley Wiper's Remarks Regarding Dual Certification

The Council reviewed the suggested two-tier program offered by Ashley Wiper. Dr. Lobo moved, seconded by Ms. Baust, that after much consideration during the time of enactment of the current acupuncture law, the council could not support a two-tier system, as it was not the intent of the legislature. The Council felt that the law as it exists is in the best interest of the public and should remain as written. Motion unanimously carried.

OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE COUNCIL

There was no other business.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no other public comment.

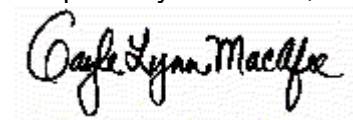
NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, June 17, 2010 at 3:00 p.m. in the Second Floor Conference Room, Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Lee moved, seconded by Ms. Baust, to adjourn. Motion unanimously carried. The meeting adjourned at 5:06 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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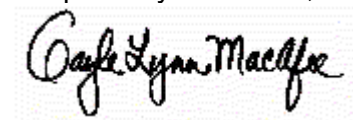
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